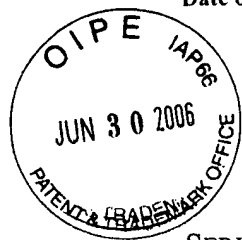


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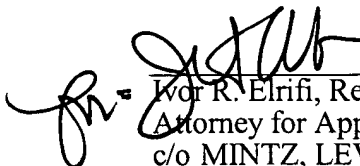
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Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified application please find the following documents:

1. Response and Amendment (9 pages);
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3. Check No. 22706 in the amount of \$510.00 to cover the Extension fee;
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the papers transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, (Reference No. 21402-225 (CURA-525)).

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